

Optis split opening pair in Tri-County playoffs

Milton Optimist major atom A reps opened their Tri-County playoff round-robin series with a 4-1 win over Erin last Tuesday and a 5-2 loss to Oakville Sunday at Memorial Arena.

Each team will play an unbalanced six-game round-robin series in the playoffs with the top two teams emerging for the championship. Optis will play twice each against Oakville and Milton minor atoms and once each against Erin and Burlington.

In the opener against Erin, Optis got solid goalkeeping from Matt Hart and Ryan Smith and were led offensively by the two-goal performance from Eric Medeiros.

After a scoreless first period, Shawn Kesik

put Optis ahead at 3:15 of the second period on passes from Chris Griffin and Shawn Birnie. Less than two minutes later, Chad Broussard combined with Kyle Arbuckle to

stake Milton to a two-goal lead.

Medeiros scored twice in the third to put the game out of reach. Erin scored with 2:26 left to avoid the shutout.

Both Sherratt cage teams advance

Both the girls and boys basketball teams from Sam Sherratt School have taken the first step toward the North Halton crown.

Both teams won Friday to advance to the semi-finals slated for later this month.

The girls beat Centennial of Georgetown 30-26 while the boys downed Acton's McKenzie-Smith 36-25.

Alicia Gunn paced the girls with 10 points

while Shelby Shonk added eight in the win over Centennial. Sherratt reached the semi-finals on March 7.

The boys were led by George Kaldenbach's 11 points. Rick O'Donnell added eight and Jeff Lee scored seven.

In the other semi-final, Stewarttown downed Centennial 41-32. Both Sherratt teams advance to the semis on March 7.

Against Oakville, Optis learned the regular season matters little in the playoffs. Optis dominated the season play over Oakville with seven straight wins but it was a different story on Sunday as Milton were surprised by a hungry Oakville and lost 5-2.

Optis came up with a lacklustre effort and didn't help their cause by taking eight minors. Penalties played a key role in the game as the resulting line combinations and penalty-killing prevented Milton from mounting a sustained attack.

Oakville built a four-goal lead heading into the third period before Milton rallied with two quick power-play markets by Kesik two minutes into the third period.

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With reference to our Little Book of Big Values, Sales Date March 1st - 4th.

Page 96—The Special Price of \$2.97 shown for the Lego Blacktron Cruiser is incorrect. The correct sale price Sat. only is \$9.97.

Page 27—The 1500 Rower is not available. Also limited quantities on bikes.

Page 67—The Infant Boys' Jog Set at \$7.97 will not be available, however substitute items will be available.

Page 68—The Car Booster Seat will not arrive in time for event, rainchecks will be issued.

Page 14—Special Prices for the selection of Bath Towels on Sale during this event range from \$2.97-4.47 not \$2.97-\$4.97 as indicated.

We regret any inconvenience this may have caused our customers.

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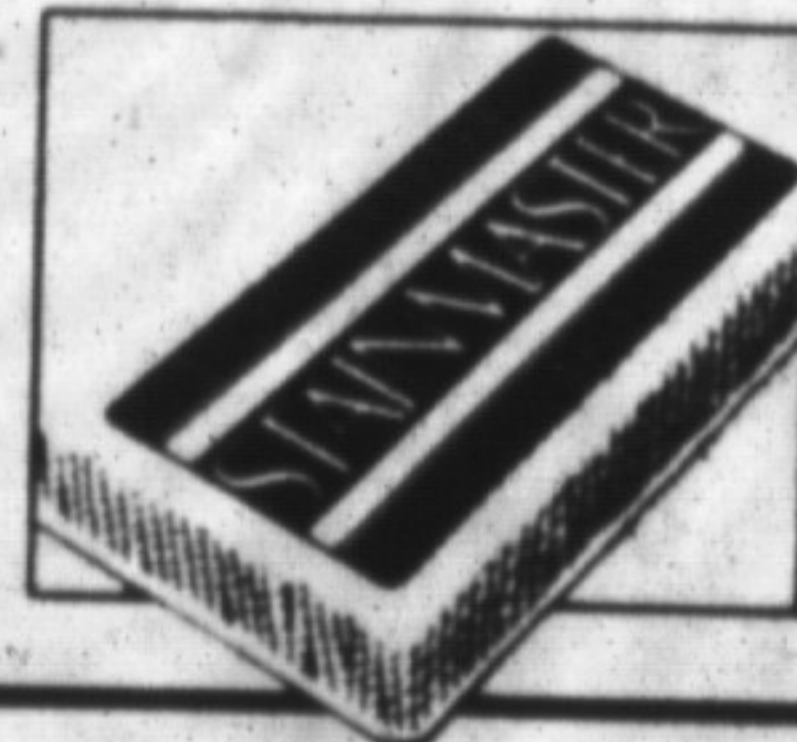
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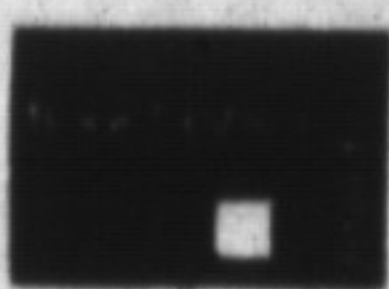
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